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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the action dated June 4, 2007, finally rejecting claims 1-12, 21, 24, 25, and 27.

A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 to extend the time to respond to the final rejection for 3 month(s) to and including December 4, 2007 is enclosed.

Please apply the appeal fee in the amount of \$255 and any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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